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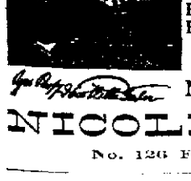

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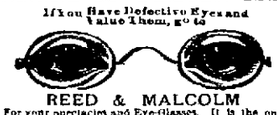

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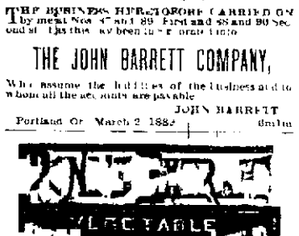

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ONE BY ONE THE ROBES FALL

Chairman Cooley Delivers a Lecture to Railroad Men—The Chinese Test Case—The Difficulty at Chan Kang—Capital Notes

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The president to-day sent the following nominations to the senate: Smith V. Whitfield of Ohio to be second assistant postmaster-general. Marshall D. Bacon of Pennsylvania to be third assistant postmaster-general. Will W. Thomas Jr. of Maine to be minister to Sweden and Norway. Samuel R. Thayer of Minnesota to be minister to the Netherlands. Nathaniel Murphy of Arizona to be secretary of Arizona. John T. Ward of Oregon to be appraiser of merchandise in the district of the Willamette and Washington. William H. Whiting of New Mexico to be assistant justice of the supreme court of New Mexico.

J. N. Tyner of Indiana has been decided as assistant attorney-general for the post-office department.

J. W. Mason of West Virginia has been appointed commissioner of internal revenue.

The postmaster-general to-day appointed J. Lowrie Bell formerly traffic manager of the Lake Shore railroad line, railroad superintendent of the railway mail service vice Bancroft resigned.

AN APPOINTMENT BY WINDOM.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Secretary Windom has appointed F. E. Barnes of St. Paul to be chief of the appointment division of the treasury department vice W. E. Smith resigned. Barnes is president of the republican league of Minnesota and a personal friend of Windom's.

THEIR DEVOTED RECORD.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Mitchell who has been nominated for commissioner of patents is a patent attorney having for many years known through out New England as a successful practitioner. He is a native of Maine and is well known throughout the state. He was appointed by President Grant appointed fifth assistant postmaster-general and upon the resignation of Marshall Jewett he became postmaster-general serving as such until the end of Grant's administration. In April 1877 he was appointed first assistant postmaster-general and held the office until 1881 when he resigned.

Smith V. Whitfield nominated for second assistant postmaster-general is well known all over Pennsylvania, who after graduating from college entered the post-office department as a clerk. He rose through the various grades to the place of chief of the division of stamps and supplies. In 1887 he was appointed third assistant postmaster-general and in this capacity he has served with ability and efficiency for four years. When Cleveland came into office, Hazen although a republican was retained for two years because of his thorough knowledge of the business that passed through his hands. The third assistant postmaster-general has charge of all matters relating to the finances of the postal service and has the letting of contracts involving the expenditure of a large amount of money.

Samuel R. Taylor nominated as minister to the Netherlands was born at Minneapolis. He is a native of and a native of New York state. He graduated from college. He went to Minnesota in the district of Columbia. He was appointed by President Harrison a justice of the supreme court of Minnesota. He was elected by the people of Minnesota and served by the people of the district of Columbia.

James B. Mason who was today appointed to be commissioner of internal revenue, resides at Grafton W. Va. He served in the Union army during the war and has since devoted himself to the practice of law. He has been an active politician for many years.

EXPORT RATES

Testimony Taken Before the Interstate Railway Commissioners.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The interstate commerce commissioners resumed the hearing in the matter of export rates and the methods adopted by the trunk lines concerning them. The main object of the inquiry is to maintain export business on the published inland rates but not to be maintained. The roads which maintained the rates lost a portion of their export business that of the Lake Shore dropped from 30 per cent to 7 per cent.

Chairman Cooley said to the managers in part: It is very manifest that there have been things going on here that should stop. I quote Mr. Hayes' compliment Mr. Hayes for coming to ward and stating frankly just what the facts were as regards his own road. We should have been better satisfied if Mr. Sands had been taken by all the others. They ought not to do, no doubt as Mr. Hayes will do namely, to endeavor to comply with the law. Here is the law and it is not for you hereafter to say to us that there are practical obstacles in the way of complying with it. That sort of thing we are not going to listen to. We do not wish to do anything to make you lose business. At the same time we are not going to allow you to say that if we obey the law you will thereby lose business.

The time ought to be come to be done with when a manager can come in and say I named this rate and I did it regardless of the law, because another company had done the same thing.

There is no use for that practice. If wrong is done by one road to the injury of another the proper method of redress is not to duplicate the wrong, but to go before the committee, in author ity whether it be the commission or a voluntary association, with a complaint of the wrong.

One crime in railroad circles is no more to be excused by another than one theft is to be justified by another.

Judge Cooley announced that for certain southern roads that had asked a hearing a continuance of the investigation for two weeks, had been granted. The commission did not wish to express an opinion that would reflect the interests of those roads unduly, they had been placed but in the meantime, the practices in the North which appeared altogether unjustifiable should not be continued.

I must be added that after saying so much we shall not two weeks hence have complaints brought to us that these practices have been going on in the same old fashion. I want to take the redress of wrongs in their own hands when the legislature grants it, but I am compelled to say the latter we cannot do. They ought also to remember that while we continue this case for two weeks the law is not suspended. That runs as it does, as well as its penalties.

THE DIFFICULTY AT CHAN KIANG

Report of the Consul Gone at to the Secretary of State

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Secretary Blaine has received from Consul-general at Shanghai, report on the recent riot at Chan Kiang. It appears that on February 11, the consul-general received from Consul Jones at Chin Kiang a telegraphic news of the riot with the following message: Boycott and request for protection. As there was no American man of war immediately available the British consul-general was communicated with and an English man of war was ordered from Shanghai on February 12 for Chan Kiang. On that day the British consulate and four other houses at Chan Kiang were destroyed by the rioters. The consulate was guarded by a force of about 600 Chinese soldiers. No lives were lost.

It is to be remembered that the chief of the consulate was absent at the time of the riot, having left Chan Kiang on January 31 for Hankow. The consul-general at Shanghai also reported that there was a late rumor that many buildings had been destroyed among them Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s and Russell & Co.'s premises of some American missionaries.

THE CHAN CHANG PING CASE.

Decision of the Supreme Court on a Similar Question.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—In Chae Chang Ping case which will soon be argued before the supreme court of the United States in creating much interest, the decision of the court in this case will either affirm or deny the constitutionality of the Scott exclusion act.

In the circuit court Justice Field in 1887 in the case of Whitney vs. Robinson this court held Justice Field delivering the opinion as follows: "A treaty is primarily a contract between two or more independent nations and is so regarded by writers on public law.

For the infraction of its provisions a remedy must be sought by the injured party through reclamation upon the other. When the stipulations are not self executing they can only be enforced pursuant to legislation to carry them into effect and such legislation is as much subject to modification and repeal by congress as legislation on any other subject. If the treaty contains stipulations that are self executing that is requires no legislation to make them operative) to that extent they have the force and effect of legislative enactment. Congress may modify such provisions so far as they bind the United States or may supersede them altogether.

"By the constitution a treaty is placed upon the same footing and made of like obligation with an act of legislation. Both are declared to be the supreme law of the land and no superior efficacy is given to either over the other and when the two relate to the same subject the courts will endeavor to construe them so as to give effect to both if that can be done without violating the language of either but when the two are inconsistent the one last in date will control the other. This doctrine always that the stipulation of the treaty on the subject is self executing.

If the country with which the treaty is made is dissatisfied with the action of the legislative department it may present its complaints to the executive head of the government and take such other measures as it may deem essential for the protection of its interests. The courts can offer no redress.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS

The Relations of the United States with Other American Countries.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The senate proceeded to consider the resolution offered by Mr. Frye on the 13th inst. calling upon the president for information relative to the present condition of affairs in the republic of Mexico and the relations of the United States with that republic and other countries in Central America.

Mr. Gibson said that the resolution was one of great importance and he thought it should be considered in executive session.

Mr. Sherman said that he had no objection to the resolution being considered in executive session.

Mr. Frye said that he had no objection to the resolution being considered in executive session.

The resolution was then agreed to.

PAID FOR TAXES.

Mr. Mitchell, from the committee on claims, reported favorably the bill for the relief of the heirs of Thomas Jefferson Green, deceased, late of Florida.

Mr. Morgan asked for an explanation of the bill.

Mr. Mitchell explained that the claim was for taxes paid by Green on lands in Florida which had been sold for taxes by the United States.

The bill was agreed to

NORTHWESTERN NEWS

The True Story About Martin Ludwig of Baker City.

DEATH OF HON ENOCH HOULT

O R & N Surveyors in the Field--Happenings on Puget Sound--Trial of Another Murder Case a Tacoma

BAKER CITY March 18—The story of Martin Ludwig as published in the La Grande Sentinel is wide of the mark The facts are these Martin Ludwig is an old pioneer and is worth considerable money He has been an Odd Fellow in good financial standing for many years For about one year he has been ill off and there day and there by unable to attend to his business

About three weeks ago he Odd Fellows here appointed a committee to look after him and get him sober They succeeded in doing so and sent to California for his wife to come He is now sober and able to care for himself again

This is all the article of The Odd Fellows deserve credit for taking the course they did as thereby a good citizen was perhaps saved The whole expense was borne by Ludwig

DEATH OF HON ENOCH HOULT

Twice Senator From Linn County and the Author of the Railroad Law

ALBANY Or March 18—A dispatch from Harrisburg states that Hon Enoch Hoult died at his home at that place this morning of congestion of the lungs aged 70 He twice represented Linn county as state senator and was prominently identified with the politics of the state and was the author of the Hoult railroad law His funeral Wednesday, will be attended by a number of the Masonic order of this city

FROM LA GRANDE

O R & N Surveyors in the Field--Ex Governor Moody Homeward Bound

LA GRANDE Or March 18—Chief Engineer Kennedy of the O R & N Co and a corps of surveyors arrived here to-day and will immediately commence to survey and locate the railroad from this place to Wallowa It is rumored that the road from here to Island City will be built at once, and from there it will be extended to Elgin during the coming summer

Ex Governor Moody passed through to-day on the Sunset Express, en route home from an extended visit to the Eastern states While East he attended the inauguration of President Harrison

Ex Senator Slater is slowly but surely recovering

FROM SEATTLE

Collision Between Two Steamers--The Charge Against the Walla Walla

SEATTLE March 18—The report of a collision between the Eliza Anderson and the Hassalo which was pronounced a canard by the officers of the companies saturday turns out to have been true except that one steamer was the George E Starr and not the Hassalo The vessels were going in opposite directions between Coupeville and Utsalady and owing to fog, did not see each other till they were very close The Starr went crash up into the wheelhouse of the Anderson tearing it away and breaking the crank pin There was a panic on board the Anderson but when it was ascertained that there was no imminent danger it subsided The Anderson was brought to this city yesterday and will be repaired The damage will amount to $2000 It is probable that a damage suit against the O R & N Co by the officers of the Washington Steam Navigation Company the respective owners of the vessels, will ensue

William B Wood who was brought in from the race track last Saturday was to-day pronounced insane and committed to the asylum

The steamer Walla Walla arrived to-night from Vancouver via Port Townsend in nominal charge of a deputy United States marshal It is understood that the vessel will be libeled to-morrow by United States Attorney White on a charge of smuggling opium The officers of the company express no doubt whatever as to the outcome of the case and say that the charge of smuggling can not be proved because it is not true If the vessel is libeled her agents will give bonds and she will continue on her route, uninterrupted

A shooting match took place yesterday between a team of six from Tacoma and six from Seattle The latter won, making 118 points out of a possible 150 Seattle Tacoma team of

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WITH THE POPE.

s Secret His Loss of ral Power

lo.—A letter signed by and other prelates of the Ottawa and Ontario re- pope sympathized with mporal power and in the ipal the Holy See by the t. In reply a letter nas the pope commending at auty of treatment which rom the government of sllows non-Catholics to hurch but prevents her self. Leo X presses gra- hefly shown not only by Canada but by the eccle-

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March 18.—W. H. Mor- s here to-morrow to in- e to grant a charter to a h upper Columbia & con- gan and Lower. The miles long, and will leave Chicago at 1 Duluth

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2.—Many large meetings the cities of Atlanta and d congratulating Parnell e Parnell Large sums or the Irish cause

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18.—Dispatches say that ents have been warned the German admiral hav- t he intended to bombard

Temperature

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Death Roll.

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EAST PORTLAND COUNCIL.

An Important Meeting of the Municipal Fathers Last Night

Proposed Street Railway—An Engineer Wanted—Petitions, Remonstrances and Ordinances Considered—Miscellaneous Business Transacted.

There was a rather large number of citizens present last night when Mayor Whitcomb called the council meeting to order. Councilmen present were Hoyt, Hedges, Lyman, Hamilton, Lewis, Merrick, Hard and Hooper, and also quite a large number of interested spectators.

PROPOSED STREET RAILWAY.

The most important paper read during the evening was

A charter by H. F. Smith and J. K. Lamont for the purpose of organizing a company to construct, maintain and operate a street railway within the streets of the city of East Portland, along and upon such routes as may be designated by the common council of said city, from a point in the center of Oak street where the same intersects the west line of Water street thence east along Oak to Ninth, thence south along Ninth to the south line of the city of East Portland. The capital stock to be $50,000, to be run by steam power or electricity. The rate of speed is not to exceed eight miles per hour. The company is to be required to keep the streets in good repair between the tracks and for a distance of two feet on each side thereof. The charter is to run for twenty years.

REPORTS.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on certain streets, and declaring a deficit on four streets, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the petition of Mrs. Lambert and others for the improvement of Sherman street, reporting that the petition be granted. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on Sherman street, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on Ninth street, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on Tenth street, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on Eleventh street, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

From the committee on streets and public property to whom was referred the ordinance creating a grade on Twelfth street, reporting the same back and recommending that the ordinance do not pass. Adopted.

Lewis moved that the street commissioner be instructed to drain the pond at the intersection of Thirteenth and Caruthers. Merrick moved to amend by substituting the ordinance in relation to nuisances. The amendment was lost and the original motion passed.

On motion of Hard in the matter of the main in which Ellison is to be improved was reconsidered and that gravel was directed instead of [illegible].

Hedges was asked for information in regard to Everett's not using N. Y. 1. Had taken an appeal. He (the attorney) said that he had not so far. The matter would be heard next meeting. He would do his best unless one to get his [illegible] on Seventh street through.

On motion of Hallpenny the [illegible] sheets of the city be ordered to be printed [illegible] of the city. Adopted.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Pre-emption and Timber Claims

WESTFIELD, Or., March 16.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN: Please inform me if the pre-emption and timber-culture laws are still in force.

JAMES BENNER.

[The pre-emption act was repealed by the last congress, but the timber-culture law is still in force.—ED.]

No

WESTFIELD, March 16.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN: Can a boy under 21 years of age file on a homestead? Can a boy under 21 years of age file on 160 acres of timber land in Washington Territory?

C. E. BENJAMIN.

The Barometer Nine Years Ago

[This question and answer is published at the request of a typographical error which occurred yesterday.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN: Will you please state through your columns what the lowest barometer was during the heavy storm which prevailed early in the spring of 1880?

J. F.

[The lowest barometer at the time mentioned was at 1 P. M., January 9, when it stood 28.56. At 11:57 o'clock on the same date the barometer stood 28.75. The lowest barometer this year was on March 14, at 5 A. M., when it stood 29.275.]

HOW THE TRAMP TRAMPS

Hundreds of This Class of People Along the O. & C. R. R.—Riding the Brakes and Begging Money.

A gentleman residing in this city having latch rotu ned rom Southern Oregon via the Oregon & California railroad, was asked by a reporter whether he observed any tramps while traveling through the country.

Any tramps on the road? replied he—Well I should say that there are a ton of that sort on the home to Portland on the Central Oregon & California. At times we had a dozen or ten tramps on our train. They would come to the cars at every convenient point of vantage. Some jump on the platforms others cling to the iron rungs on the sides while most of them manage to find a comfortable position on the brake beams.

The conductors find that it is easier to cope with them if they are driven off from one to the manager to the other. Sometimes they make head of it all. Most of them are well armed and the conductor should be too secure who does not keep within reach of his gun and the conductors say that it is useless to unnecessarily endanger their lives.

One conductor told me that there are not less than sixty tramps between Ashland and Eugene City. They are scattered along the road and think about as much of a train as a switch engine sometimes the switch engine will run them and then change their mind and switch the engine in the direction.

What struck me as remarkable was the number of women I met on the train. One of them was a fine looking lady and I could not help wondering what circumstances could have driven her to such a life. She was accompanied by a few miserable looking children and was on her way to Portland. She was very reticent and would not say much about herself, but I could see that she was a lady. Another woman I met was a widow with a family of children. She was going to Portland to work. She was in search of employment and thought that she could get it there. She was very poorly clad and looked as though she had seen better days.

I was told that this same man made his headquarters in that city, and that he associated with and traveled with a gang both women and children. He invariably left the train at some station where he expected to beg something to eat. Such an impression was made upon me that I shall be careful in the future how I give to beggars, for I am sure that many of them are impostors.

WILL LEAVE THEIR OWN BUILDING.

The Portland Women's Union About to Purchase a House and Lot for a Boarding "Home."

Ever since the organization of the Portland Women's Union a little over a year ago the great hope of the members of this very praiseworthy association has been to own a building for the use of a woman's boarding house.

Up to the present time the society has been renting the building on the southeast corner of Fourteenth and F streets, where a boarding house has been successfully conducted. It is true that the boarding house has been maintained under some disadvantages. In the first place the rooms are not convenient, being so small as to make it impossible to adjust the desired [illegible] apartments. Most of the rooms are large, but this does not afford more than to put several beds in one room and in reality transform them into wards. The kitchen facilities are not adequate to meet all the demands, and press of business among boarders at the present time there is room for no more.

But as the boarding house has been doing a great deal of good the establishment has progressed in spite of the many drawbacks and inconveniences.

The matter of renting a larger building or of buying a piece of property on which to erect a new home has been under consideration for some time. Dr. Harriet Wells, of the building committee, has called the attention of the ladies to the fact that the lease on the present building will expire in April, and it is necessary that some action be taken at once.

Many of the early fruit trees are in bloom and it presents a beautiful appearance. Just a frost may have a pleasant effect but as generally happens the trees will escape all such harm.

Mrs. Brooks, of Omaha, Iowa, and Mrs. Spencer, of Ashland, Or., are visiting friends in this city.

The A. C. U. W. lodge is gaining in membership and will give a grand banquet on the 21st inst.

Cedar Mountain, Sandy and Bull Run have been visited and a large crowd is expected to be present.

Mr. Ed and Miss Normal starts out with an increased number of students for the spring term. The school corps of excellent teachers and should be liberally patronized.

J. A. D.

CHURCH WORK AT OREGON CITY

Close of the Special Services Held by Rev. Gamble and Ingle.

The special services conducted by Rev. Gamble and Ingle in the Presbyterian church at Oregon City closed last Sunday evening, resulting in eighteen accessions to the church, one on profession of faith and four by letter, two of these coming from other Presbyterian churches. All are heads of families except four. During the services all stern persons were baptized, a few additional children included. The pastor, Mr. Ingle, during which the meeting was held will remain with the church in a few days. It is hoped for will a fifty-foot spire. It has session of [illegible] and Thursday rooms have an audience room with four windows of Cathedral glass of variegated colors and a seating capacity of 250. This church was organized with nine members October 25, last, and has now thirty-eight members and a Sunday-school of sixty-four members.

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OF IMPORTANCE TO MARINERS.

Changes Made in Marine Charts During the Months of February, 1889, Stars, Lights, Etc.

The following is compiled from the last monthly Notice to Mariners issued by the superintendent of the coast and geodetic survey, Washington, D. C. It is important changes in, during the month of February, on charts published by the officer in Washington.

CALIFORNIA—San Diego entrance. The [illegible] buoy (nun) formerly placed [illegible] Point Loma light has been [illegible] removed. This checks changed.

The character of Point Loma light will be changed from fixed white to fixed white, varied by alternate red and white flashes of 10 seconds of one minute. This checks changed to [illegible].

The characteristic of Point Loma light near San Pedro has will be changed from [illegible] white, varied by white flashes.

A new [illegible] which is to be placed [illegible] Point [illegible] Point [illegible] Point

The Oregonian.

PORTLAND TUESDAY MARCH 19

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

A New York merchant in the course of the 11th most recalls and reckons at length in terms of admiration Windom's exploit of reducing the interest on hundreds of millions of dollars from 6 and 6 per cent to 5 per cent bonds without the aid of congress and against a hostile banking interest. The felt who did this deed is entitled to 500,000 of the 1 per cent to be deemed his reward and of $4 000 000 per cent reckoned the Mayflower brought over the principal of the debt and all the subsequent government appropriations ever bringing it into public hands by all opposition reflection since December 1868 a period of $20 000 000 000 per cent which was introduced by Mr Windom the bond to be redeemable at the pleasure of the government after twenty years and absolutely twenty years after the issue Value was added to the act so as to allow receivable for bank reserves after May 1 1881 This bill passed the house and the senate without a single vote against it Have on the round that it was detrimental to the national banks When Windom came into office March 1 1881 the gross debt of the United States was $2 000 000 000 and the money in the treasury to redeem $1 000 000 000 of it in gold coin and $100 000 000 of it in silver dollars Of these amounts $1 000 000 000 in gold and $100 000 000 in silver dollars were held in the treasury to redeem $1 100 000 000 of certificates issued against them leaving $100 000 000 in gold to be provided for before any Windom was equal to the occasion He arranged on April 1 that on July 1 he would retire the $2 000 000 000 of 6 per cent three months' notes and $1 000 000 000 of 5 per cent bonds making more than $3 000 000 000 of the public debt which ought to be paid off for the people but this would leave more than $800 000 000

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SPECIAL NOTICE FROM THE TREASURY DEpartment Charleston S C I have this day received instructions from the secretary of the treasury to warn all persons who are now or who may hereafter engage in the traffic of [illegible] that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law [illegible] HYMAN ABRAHAMS Collector

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDers of the Portland Fish Oil Company will be held at the office of the company on Front st between Oak and Ash sts in Portland Oregon on Monday April 8 1889 at 2 o'clock P M for the election of officers and such other business as may then properly come before the meeting By order of the board of directors 15dtd8 WM REID Secretary

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PORTLAND, TUESDAY MARCH 19

THE INTELLECTUAL RECLUSE

By order of Secretary Tracy all of the officers of the Brooklyn navy yard attended the funeral of Ericsson the great engineer The pall bearers included Colonel R G Ingersoll and Professor Ogden Doremus the great chemist Ericsson lacked but five months of completing his 86th year He was but 10 years of age when he constructed a pumping machine that attracted the attention of Count Platen, a great Swedish engineer At 17 years of age he was made a lieutenant in the army because of the excellence of his military maps which attracted the attention of Bernadotte one of Napoleons marshals then King of Sweden He went to England in 1820 In 1837 he invented the screw propeller In 1839 he came to America and designed for our navy the screw ship Princeton the first vessel that had its propelling machinery below the water line out of reach of hostile shot The building of this vessel changed the construction of the steam war vessels of the world He offered the design of the Monitor to Emperor Louis Napoleon in 1854 From the time he was 40 years of age his diet was exceeful and abstemious His only beverage besides tea was cold water He used no tobacco and he worked 12 hours daily the year round and gave himself no social recreation whatever, beyond two hours of exercise after breakfast He used to rise at 7 o clock in the morning all the year round Exercising and bathing occupied the next two hours and then he breakfasted generally on dried brown bread prepared after a receipt of his own two or three poached eggs and tea with plenty of milk He dined at 4 the meal consisting of vegetables tea and bread with no more than an ounce of meat He took no other meal

The notable thing about Ericsson was that from a boy of ten years of age to his death at 86 he seems to have been entirely devoted to scientific investigation, invention and engineering He never seemed to care for wealth, and yet in spite of his indifference he died worth over $100 000 He did not seem to care for the public rewards of fame He belonged to the comparatively small class of men of genius who respected their genius so devoutly that they thought the days not that included any hours devoted to superfluous recreation What Hawthorne was in fiction what Emerson was in philosophy what Theodore Parker was in the pulpit Ericsson was in mechanical engineering,—a man of genius who toiled without hope of reward or fear of defeat but because of that scientific enthusiasm that animated the great Kepler when he exclaimed God I thank thee that I am able to think thy thoughts after thee' He presented the spectacle of a man of robust powerful body, so devoted to science and the solution of its unsolved problems that for the sake of science he subordinated all animal appetites all affections all conviviality all avarice all worldly ambition all love of self or pelf in his determination to make the most of his capacity to harness the powers of earth sea and air to the chariot or cart of civilization The ambition and the capacity to toil fearfully were Ericsson s He was a rare man not only in his genius but in his capacity for self abnegation He put all idle pleasures behind him as he would Satan his only spouse was science and her unsolved problems and for science he would turn his back on the world live like a hermit live on oat meal and lentils and feel more joy over some new discovery than Napoleon felt when he entered Linz or Grant when Lee surrendered He loved science for its own sake as few men ever loved it for he subordinated to its pursuit his youthful passions which were strong and violent his social nature which was warm and kindly his ambition and his acquisitiveness

The grangers continue to be profuse in compliment to his excellency Gov Pennoyer for his veto of the Portland water bill Marion county Pomona grange follows those of Lane and Linn with congratulatory resolutions upon the subject that are in substance as wide of the mark as were the governors reasons for the veto winding up with an emphatic endorsement of the same Our granger friends excel even the governor himself in the ability to say an unputed thing in an exceedingly solemn way Thus they declare that government expenses should be borne by an equal and just taxation of all property with such grave solemnity that the general public though quite sure that it has heard some thing of that sort before is fitfully convinced that it must have been mistaken The governor in his appreciation of the compliment tendered will no doubt forgive the embodying of his veto message into resolution and sending them out as the wise utterances of the county grange He will doubtless also sprinkle his hair plentifully with bay and assure his audience that if he had his life to live over again he would stick to farming as a vocation and assert that agriculturists are the most sagacious of financiers When people organ ze a mutual admiration society they should not let trifles stand in the way of each other s happiness

Albany is not likely to be behind Salem in the matter of securing woolen mills A bonus of $50 000 will it is said be raised within a few days to secure the removal of the Brownsville plant to Albany and it is expected that the new mills will be ready for operation in six months There are already flourishing woolen mills in Jackson and Clackamas counties and with those that are now in prospect in Marion and Linn in operation there will be a market for wool that should act as a stimulus to keep husbandry in the Willamette valley Like enterprise is greatly needed in Eastern Oregon where wool is one of the grand staples and high rates of transportation have left but a narrow margin for profits to the producer

NOTE AND COMMENT

Talk of monopoly of missing the point of road and putting up the necessaries of life or making a corner on coal What do all these mean but wicked arbitrary combined to put in the hands of a few individuals or companies the power to raise the prices of articles necessary to the comfort of the people Now while it is right that individuals should be allowed to make all the money they honestly can by their own labor or skill it is not right that they should be allowed to make money by controlling the necessaries of life or by controlling the real estate the value of which is created by the presence of the people Even Port Townsend individuals are not just entitled to the water front of that future metropolis

It is said that many of the brokers in Chicago have quit taking margins and are doing a non-taxable business of buying and selling for future delivery Portland would find machinery of this sort handy for taxing the poor for the benefit of the rich and to rob the state and county treasuries of the cost of Portland bankers It was asked to raise the water bonds non taxable and to issue them at par a better price If now taxable they will bring a premium of 10 per cent If taxable they will probably sell at 10 per cent discount On $1 600 000 this would make a difference of $160 000 saved to the city To citizens who pay water rate water would come cheaper if the cost is less Since the city has owned the water works the cost of water has been very much reduced—nearly half—and the water committee is anxious to secure water for all at the lowest possible cost If it makes no difference in taxes collected in Oregon, who loses anything and how can it benefit the rich or hurt the poor? Portland asks no exclusive privilege, and is willing for all counties and cities to have the same advantage and as the time is come when many public improvements will be made, the idea is to establish a principle all can take advantage of

The Umatilla reservation is mostly taken up by squaw men, and many French and half breeds who have made contracts to farm lands with the Indians It is said they occupy the best land on the reservation under one pretense or another, and when ordered to leave make no motion to go So a company of soldiers is planted there, and if these fail, he won t move of their own free will they will have a big one proof to accelerate motion This sort of people are usually the poorer class of whites and of no account for any honest purpose They generally carry on a bad influence over the Indians and they should go And now that soldiers are there they will no doubt not stand on the order of their going but go quickly

A number of carpenters it is said recently went back from Eastern Oregon to Denver Colo, where they had good work at five wages and it is made to appear by railroad rumors that in the far West there was a harvest of rest and peace, where for nine months out all alike They came east and were disgusted to find no work to do, and have come back to their workmates and tell their disappointment and determination to go no more It is a pity that the railroads should permit such false representations We have a fine supply of such labor, but there is about 1 per cent for working men who visit and admire our homes and then along come the thousand

It looks as if the democratic new papers were making serious effort to revive the old Greenback issue as a congressional issue They no doubt think no time or money or ink or paper is to be spared in the hurrahing and it really looks as if the Greenbacks and greenbacks were on the point of coming into power on the crest of a democratic wave Congressmen pass resolutions saying in a modest manner that the treasury is overstocked with silver dollars which they plunked this matter in a sly way into the hopper A population which has succeeded in getting a greenback belong all the offices If Cleveland had been re elected and kept up foreign importations of Jo sama rag Washington would have had a change to become democratic by fall by and by and even crazy to fall Democrats have admitted it as a state after its own kind

Every democratic journal is figuring up the popular majority for Cleveland over Harrison and we read many pages of paragraphs wagering in much that no man or party with self respect would hold all on such terms These politicians seem to vent very important views and ambitions from their editorials The popular majorities of their states and should be, quite to account, for their citizens are as true Americans as others All of them find it convenient to ignore the fact that half a million of colored voters were thrown out in the South They want the Solid South should manipulate the ballotbox in the interest of democracy and recollect nothing that can be construed against their party Take a fair and liberal view of the situation in this point and it seems only the observed of all observers Which life is over how will he manage the election business? The man who has denied himself to cultivating the intellect is not sure to succeed in acquiring but what acquires he cannot lose. It is stored in the mind that never fails not in a bank as per shabby gold and coupons That is better can take his accumulations with him and find use for them in a world where only the spiritual is preserved.

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AGRICULTURAL POT-PIE.

Lively Dishing Up of Farm Methods by a Practical Farmer.

What Could Be, Should Be, and Generally Isn't Done by the Tillers of the Soil—Essay by T T Geer, of the Waldo Hills.

Read at the Hillsboro Farmers Institute March 15

Mr President Ladies and Gentlemen But for the blessed promises that the last shall be first and the first last, I should certainly deem it a personal indignity to be placed so low down on a programme so interesting as the one adopted for the government of this series of meetings I could account however, for the seeming intended personal affront by presuming that it is a species of just retribution for my having been a member of the late legislature, were it not for the fact that my friend, Mr Tongue, who was as deep in the mire as I was in the mud has been placed at the very head of the programme As it is I protest against partners in crime being subject to different degrees of punishment and my hope for ultimate vindication rests on the justice so plainly apparent in the scriptural quotation already referred to

Whether "putting up the rear" is to redound to one's credit, depends largely upon how that interesting operation is performed

By the terms of your programme which was sent to me a few days since I am covered that I was to prepare a paper on "Agricultural Pot pie" As to just what an agricultural pot pie is our authorities seem to reveal a wide divergence of opinion I had no time to refer to Professor Grimm for detailed instructions and I know very well that an appeal to Professor Bristow would be heartlessly ignored for the reason that at this time of the year his entire attention is devoted to watching the movements of the busy bee and in telling the amateur handler of bees that when, in working with them one of the most numerous looking of the entire hive, with a stinger as long as a hop handle begins to run a meridian base line from your collar bone in a southeasterly direction, the thing for you to do is not only appear unconcerned but to never let the bee know that you know he is there

Of course this advice is good, but it is equally a matter of course that no man under the sun could ever follow it I know this is so, for I have tried it Four years ago I paid a neighbor $5 in trade for a stand of bees, and I challenge successful contradiction from any quarter when I say that no investment I ever made that, for the money yielded more experience and amusement—or less honey A strict regard for the truth however, makes it necessary for me to add that I have had all the experience, while my family, who usually assemble at a safe distance to witness the alleged manipulation of the bees, have so far had all the amusement

I have no hesitation whatever in confessing that I cannot understand why my bees should be so cross I never approach their hive without using every possible precaution to not alarm them, and to be sure of this I always put on, in addition to my other clothing, a long linen duster, covered by a heavy ulster overcoat, and over a large straw hat, which I always wear on bee hunting days, such times, I put six yards of mosquito bar doubled, and have the corners carefully drawn down inside of my closely-buttoned vest In order that the sight of my bare hands may not unnecessarily annoy my bees, I never fail to put on a heavy pair of long-wristed buckskin gloves, and then putting each of my hands in the bottom of an empty fifty-pound flour sack, I have my wife wrap the sacks closely to my arms with a strong hempen twine

And yet, with all this care, I never approach my bees for the purpose of having a friendly interview without finding them displeased, discordant and belligerent," and they always meet me half way—sometimes more In spite of the costume I have just described, I have never yet had an engagement with my bees without being utterly vanquished, and wounded in a dozen or so places Usually, tropical fruits have ever carried away from the hotly contested arena have been from one to two dozen stingers—tropical reminders of the fact that even the bee will repel invasion by a hideous foe with more than Spartan courage

I am going to sell my bees My experience with them has been a disastrous failure and a monumental farce and I doubt if this record of it will be of particular interest, but feel to any one just beginning the business I have had that stand now more than four years, and notwithstanding my constant efforts to keep them under subjection and the fact that I have never robbed them more than six or seven times in any one summer those bees have never yet swarmed a single time and during the last two years we have had only four pounds of honey for table use, and bought that from a neighbor

Now, this unnecessary digression altogether unpardonable digression from what I had intended to say has led me to give my experience concerning a branch of agriculture that I had concluded to keep a profound secret, but if the above relation of my experience in practical bee culture shall lead any one to embark in that important enterprise, one feature of these farmers' institutes will have been happily realized

But, Mr President, my first thought is that these meetings, which we call farmers' institutes are held indirectly, at least under the auspices of the State Agricultural College, and as such ought to be not only encouraged but should be made successful in the highest degree But what a huge undertaking this is I shrink from realizing To make them reach the highest degree of success would require the attendance and cooperation of large number of farmers whose united experience cheerfully must be changed and given with enthusiasm would be of vast benefit to them all If I thought what I am about to say would dim the hope or mar the enthusiasm of the professors now engaged in guiding the affairs of the Agricultural College, I would gladly leave it unsaid but as a result of a recent very pleasant visit to that institution, I know that what is composed of men whose enthusiasm is not to be quenched even though clouded by an unpleasant taste unexpectedly appearing in an agricultural "pot pie" But truth compels me to say that in Marion county for instance it is doubtful if one farmer in fifty gives the Agricultural College a single thought during the entire year I have no doubt whatever of the accuracy of this statement nor of its general application to nearly every other county in the state Indeed, I have only just emerged from that hopeless condition myself Until the prominence given by its litigation with the Methodist Church South I am not certain that I could have stated a single fact concerning its history, nor of its hopes for the future

So apathetic are the farmers as to the affairs of agricultural colleges, and so prejudiced are a great majority of them against the practicability of any kind of information that smacks of 'book learning' that a man who first settled West of the Wabash river must have been looking for a location for a lunatic asylum

Now, with all the countless advantages which Oregon possesses over Indiana as a state, I repeat that it is a shame that our State Institute should be confined to the single county of the Hoosier kingdom and it can all be accounted for by a single fact Here our farmers remain at home during fair week and pow wow and sow and the comfort in feeling sorry for those of their neighbors who do attend the fair there it seems that nearly every farmer in Knox county had gone to the fair and taken his wife and babies and all of his horses and cows and sheep and hogs and barrel men and was determined to show the world what his country is capable of

There is nothing strange about a state like that furnishing a president for the entire Union and I shouldn't be surprised to see her do it again

But there is one point in connection with this matter that I do not wish to lose sight of The Knox county fairground was a half mile from the city limits Then I paid my back fare to the ground and back my admission fee bought a glass of Indiana cider a paper of candy and attended a side show of the 'Buffalo Bill Wild West' variety all for 45 cents In Oregon in a farmer anticipates indulging in any such extravagances as those I have enumerated, he had as well mortgage his farm in advance and yet the cost of living in the two states does not materially differ

Now it seems to me that two things must come to pass before our State Fair becomes a permanent success There must be a largely increased attendance on the part of our farmers, and this must be accompanied by a marked reduction in the cost of attending but whether the society should reduce its charges in order to secure a larger attendance, or whether the farmers should more liberally patronize the society in order that a reduction might be justified is a problem too deep for an ordinary agricultural pot pie to solve

The farmers of Oregon are not as prosperous as they should be My own experience proves this to be so but what to do in order to better our condition is the difficult thing to decide We have a soil capable of producing in abundance every product known to this latitude the world over and a climate unequaled this side of Paradise and yet we bend all our energies, and all those of our men servants and our horses and cattle and of the stranger within our gates to the production of the single article of wheat and rely upon that almost exclusively as a means of supporting ourselves and our families There are no doubt one or two here to night who very well remember a protracted newspaper controversy that occurred two years ago and to which I was a party in my neighbors' eyes With the same breath, and simultaneously, three of them shouted "What?" I then explained to them what I had seen at Corvallis on my recent visit to the Agricultural College—how Professor Arnold told a class of young men and women all about the intricate relations existing between labor and capital how each depended on the other for success what sacrifices each had to make in the interest of the other and how a young man, give an answer that was a stumper even to the professor and had himself discovered that common sense was not dead but only sleeping Then I explained in about the same way that I had learned in an old apple tree and illustrated every phase of its naughty career from the days it pearly naughtiness to its final arrest and conviction and execution as a disorganizing pomological dynamiter, and how I told one of Grimm told a class of young men about fruit and how he actually secured to have a cartload of dry subject an interest where no interest existed before and I to show Professor Hulbert drew, at my request on a cardboard 12 less than ten minutes by the watch a picture of a bee ten inches across the wings so accurately life-like that fifteen of such cardboards set up against a wall some sunny afternoon in May would certainly swarm in spite of every known rule governing such cases as given out by my esteem d friend Professor Bristow And I described how Professor Letcher drilled his classes in military tactics and in geometry, how Professor Bristow took a class of youngsters through a scorching examination in mathematics that was as thorough as it was surprising, and how other professors, whom I have not time here to mention, gave elaborate proof of their fitness for the departments they are filling

Now, Mr President these neighbors of mine are both successful farmers, have lived in Marion county since the morning stars sang together, or nearly so, and yet they knew no more of these facts concerning the Agricultural College than the man in the moon, and perhaps not nearly so much

The result of this primitive "farmers' institute" was that when my neighbors and I separated the cow-bells had stopped chiming the women folks had done the milking and I had to feast on a cold supper with attendant waiters whose faces were portentous of nothing so much as of an impending domestic cyclone But the way of the transgressor is hard and my consolation was compelled to remain there until 10 o'clock that night, after all, that the only thing necessary to be done is to bring these things to the attention of the average farmer, and his interest will at once be awakened and good results will be sure to follow

The same absurd prejudice against our state fair can be plainly seen among our farmers. At our last state fair not one farmer in ten in Marion county was in attendance I went with my family and staid the whole week but on self and book company neighbors (as I knew their opinion of such things) that I felt like making the trip in the night so as to retain my reputation for sound judgment in the community where I live Some object to the price of the season tickets being too high, some to women being charged at all when the fact is that the average woman can see more things in a half day and form a more correct impression of them enjoy them better, and tell more people about them next day in a perfectly charming way than any half dozen men that ever visited a fair or bought a pool Some farmers find fault with the fair because there are too many side shows to catch their pennies never reflecting that the attendance at such places is not compulsory, others, when they attend, grow because there are no places of amusement, and still others because the fair has as they allege, become mere horse trot, where gambling, and swindling do reign supreme and yet when such a man does attend they are the first to go to the races and the last to leave

During the last twelve years I have attended every State Fair but one and have been an interested spectator of nearly every race made during those years, and if there has been many a neighbor present I have never known it Certainly as good time has been made on that track as on record by horses of a like grade elsewhere, and when a man bets on the wrong horse nothing but his own flimsiness of character will ever permit him to squeal Never but once have I seen a race that, to my mind gave any evidence of unfairness, and that was when, two years ago last fall being against, a Washington county horse and lost it For some reason afterwards I rather thought that corruption was undoubtedly creeping into the management of the society but I was assured by the man who won my money that the race was on the square so my faith returned

Really, however, I am not sure but that the gross receipts of the Agricultural Society would be greater if most of their charges were reduced A little more than a year ago while traveling Westward from Cincinnati, I arrived at the city of Vincennes Indiana, one morning and was compelled to remain there until 10 o'clock that forenoon Of course I was anxious to find some kind of amusement to occupy my time, and the first thing I discovered was that the county fair of Knox county was in session and I of course went there and spent the forenoon I visited other fair grounds while East, but the county fair of Knox county Indiana, surpassed anything in that line I have ever seen There were more fine cattle and horses and sheep and hogs, and poultry and machinery and wide awake men and pretty women than one can see at the Oregon State Fair during any three annual exhibitions This statement may need some modification as to the men and women, but otherwise it remains in full force and effect, and it is a burning shame that it is so That is the square foot of the fence enclosing the grounds or of any shed for stock or other purposes but was neatly whitewashed and looked as neat as newly fallen snow, and all the principal buildings were tastefully painted and the pavilions presented more the appearance of dry goods and hardware stores than of a common county fair Stately sycamores fringed one side of the ground and as the day was one of those perfect creations of unmixing purest azure for which the autumns of the Western states are famous being neither too hot nor too cold but just hot and cold enough, it seemed to me that the man who first settled West of the Wabash river must have been looking for a location for a lunatic asylum

Now, with all the countless advantages which Oregon possesses over Indiana as a state, I repeat that it is a shame that our State Institute should be confined to the single county of the Hoosier kingdom and it can all be accounted for by a single fact Here our farmers remain at home during fair week and pow wow and sow and the comfort in feeling sorry for those of their neighbors who do attend the fair there it seemed

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COMMERCIAL

TUESDAY, March 19

High Water				Low Water			
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MONDAY March 18

Merchandise received or soon to arrive by rail 1 car plows 1 car harrows and drills 1 car hay rakes 3 cars unspecified agricultural implements, 3 cars farm wagons 1 car spring wagons, 1 car engines and fixtures 1 car machinery 2 cars stoves and fixtures 225 rolls barbed wire 1 cars furniture 198 pkgs hardware, 61 cs and 1 bls dry goods, 32 cs hats and caps, 30 cs clothing 5 bbls and 25 hf bbls whisky, 2 cars iron bars 1 car gal iron, 1 car corrugated iron roofing

PRODUCE RECEIPTS past forty eight hours 5729 ctls wheat 2 bbls flour 200 ctls bran 1184 sks potatoes 4000 lbs hides 10 pkgs butter 35 bxs eggs, 50 bxs green fruit 10 tons hay, 1 bd sheep

WHEAT—The market shows no improvement New York and Chicago ruled weak for the day, and the demand abroad is light We quote nominally Eastern Oregon $1 [illegible] 3 valley $1 [illegible] $1 8[illegible]

FREIGHTS—Dull and quiet The Gartmore has been taken for the East coast for lumber The British Indie is the only disengaged vessel in port at present, and unless there should be some demand abroad she will go slow at 37 6d

SUGAR—All grades advanced one fourth cent this afternoon The last rise was three eighths on yel ow and one-fourth on white Quotations now are as follows Golden C 6[illegible] extra C 6[illegible] dry granulated 7 [illegible] crushed and cube, 8[illegible]

EGGS—The market is firm Quote the

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK March 18—Stocks to-day after a strong opening were active and strong throughout the day and under the lead of the grangers and Southwesterns every thing is materially lower than on Saturday Grangers were the chief feature and only St Paul was held up to any extent, while the losses among the others ranged from 2 to 4 per cent, with Atchison, Burlington and Rock Island most prominent The close was active and lowest prices of the day prevailed

Government bonds have been dull and steady

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS

NEW YORK March 18—Money on call easy at 2@2½ Prime mercantile paper 4½@6 Sterling exchange dull steady sixty day bills $4 85¾ demand, $4 88¾

BONDS.

U S 4s (registered)	125½	U S 4½s (coupon)	107⅞
U S 4s (coupon)	125½	Pacific 6s	120
U S 4½s (registered)	107¾		

STOCKS

American Ex	112	Northwestern	101
Canadian Pacific	47	New York Central	106¾
Canada Southern	53	Oregon Imp	31
Central Pacific	34	O R & N	94
Burlington	74½	Transcontinental	23½
Del & Lackawanna	137½	Pacific Mail	34½
Denver & Rio Grande	18½	Reading	49⅝
Erie	26¾	Rock Island	109¾
Kansas & Texas	12	St. Paul	61
Lake Shore	99¾	Texas Pacific	13½
Louisville & Nashville	58¾	Union Pacific	62⅝
Michigan Central	84	U S Express	80
Missouri Pac	66	Fargo Express	105
Northern Pacific	24½	W U	81½
N P Preferred	58½		

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

BOSTON, March 18—Closing prices Atchison & Topeka, first sevens, 10[illegible] do land grant sevens, 109½ do Railroad 4½s Burlington & Quincy 94¾ Mexican Central, common 13¾ do first mortgage bonds blank San Diego, 22

MONEY MARKET

LONDON March 18—Consols, 97 5 16 Silver bullion per fine ounce 42 1-16 Bank of England rate of discount 3 per cent

NEW YORK March 18—Sterling exchange long, 84 85½ sterling exchange, short 84 89½ U S bonds, 4s, 129½ 6 s bonds, 4½s 107⅛ silver bullion per ounce 99¾ c

SAN FRANCISCO March 18.—Sterling exchange sixty days 84 8[illegible] sterling exchange documentary, 84 8[illegible] Transfers, 17½ per cent premium.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18

Ophir	$ 5 70	Utah	1 0
Meridan	3 70	Bullion	0
Gould & Curry	2 70	Exchequer	80
Best & Belcher	4 20	Seg Belcher	2 80
Con California	8 5	Justice	1
Savage	2 80	Union	2 7
Chollar	2 50	Challenge	4 20
Potosi	2 20	N Belle	2 15
Hale & No cross	3 45	Nevada Queen	2 30
Crown Point	4 70	Bodie	1 90
Yellow Jacket	3 0	Beeress	0
Belcher	2 80	Overman	1 80
Confidence	3 5	Alpha	1 35
Sierra Nevada	3 10	Imperial	65

SAN FRANCISCO 3 MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO March 18—Produce receipts past 48 hours included 4800 ctls wheat 5000 qr sks flour, 2000 ctls oats, 7100 sks potatoes, 670 ctls barley

Freights and charters—The situation continues weak and the market shows little activity The British ship Brynhild was taken spot to load wheat for St Nazaire Australia terms private The tonnage in port engaged, loots up 36,000 tons disengaged, 57 000 tons, and listed to arrive, 135,000. Vessels for lumber loading continue in fair demand, recent charters include German ship Elvia, Puget sound to Buenos Ayres, and Norbark Carl Haas ed, Puget sound to the United Kingdom

Wheat—The sample market has assumed a stronger tone and holders show no disposition to sell There is a moderate shipping demand for No 1 shipping at $1 40@1 42½ Options quiet but prices improved Sales of No 1 white, buyer year, include 700 tons at $1 44½ 100 tons at 1 44¾, 300 tons at $1 44 buyer season, $1 43½ seller year, new, $1 84½ Afternoon session—Buyer year opened easier, $1 43½ closed $1 43½ buyer season $1 43⅜ seller year, new, $1 83¾

Barley—The market shows a firmer feeling owing to light receipts, choice feed is quoted at 80c options quiet but tending up buyer year closed 90¾c buyer season 80c Afternoon session, buyer year 90¾c buyer season 80¾c

Oats—Dull and tending lower, owing to heavy receipts buyers hold off, anticipating lower prices Feed, all kinds, is quoted nominally from $1 00 @ $1 10

Millstuffs—Business dull with an indifferent demand bran is quoted nominal, at $12 00, mid dlings $13 00

Bags—The market is strong and stocks concentrated holders ask 8c for Calcuttas July delivery

Potatoes—Little or no improvement to be noted The receipts are quiet, but receipts continue heavy Prices nominal

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO March 18—Receipts of wheat at seven primary points during past 48 hours were 217 000 bushels, shipments 29,000

The visible wheat supply is 31 152 000 bushels a decrease of 52, 000 bushels during the past week

Wheat opened dull and irregular, 97¾c May, 86½c July Noon—97½c May 87½c June 86⅝c July Closed—Lower, 94⅝c March 90⅜c April, 89½c May 86⅝c July

Provisions—Lard, Pork $11 90 April lard, $6 85 April ribs $6 10 April

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO, March 18.—Cattle—Receipts 9000 steady beeves $4@4 15 steers $3@4 stockers and feeders $@3 30 Texas steers $3 40@3 90

Hogs—Receipts, 17 000 weak mixed, $4 00@4 80 heavy $4 10@4 80 light $4 70@4 90

Sheep—Receipts 5000 strong natives $3 50@4 85 Western corn fed $4 10@4 9

The Mark Lane Express of cablegram from London quotes the receipts of home bred cattle at last week's market as lower, top American beeves 11c per pound Texas cattle dearer at

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK March 18—Grain freights by steam to Liverpool are steady at 2d per bushel.

Wheat opened dull, inactive and 1c@1c easier, 91c May 91¾c June 90c July Noon—Weaker 90⅜c May 91⅜c June Closed—Dull 91c March, 91½c April 91c May 90⅜c June 90½c July

Corn—Quiet and steady

Oats—Quiet and steady

Sugar—Raw stronger and more active fair refining 4 centrifugals 96 test $3 15@3 sellers, firm, 3⅛ higher good demand C, 4⅛@4⅜c extra C 4⅝@4¾ white extra C 5 3 16 yellow 5⅛@5⅜c, off A 5⅝c mould A 5⅝c standard A, 5⅝c confectioners A 5⅜c cut loaf 6⅛c crushed 6¼c powdered, 6 granulated 5⅛c cubes 5⅜c

Copper—Advices generally demoralized through the reports from Paris Lake March $13 ⅜

Lead—Easier, domestic $4 70

Tin—Unsettled by the depression in copper, Straits $21 90,

Bar silver—93½c

Petroleum—Opened steady at 89½c, and closed weak at 89¼c.

Mining quotations closed Amador $1 Belcher $3 10 Caledonia, B H, $2 90, Consolidated California & Virginia $8 37, Commonwealth $5, Deadwood $1 80 Eureka Consolidated $1 25 El Cristo $1 15 Homestake $10 12 Horn Silver $1 05, Iron Silver $4 60 Mutual $1 40 Ontario $34 Plymouth $1 20 Savage $2 50, Sierra Nevada $3 05, Standard $3 Silver Cord $1 05, Union Consolidated $3 0, Yellow Jacket $3 90

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BERSBOHM GRAIN REPORT

LONDON March 18—Weather throughout England is milder Wheat cargoes off coast are slow Wheat cargoes on passage are inactive

Fifteen wheat cargoes arrived off coast since last report.

Mark Lane English and foreign wheat a turn easier English and American flour a turn easier

Farmers deliveries of wheat last week were 51,42[illegible] qrs at an average price of 32s 2d

LIVERPOOL, March 18—Spot wheat opened quiet but steady

3 P M Options No 1, California per cental, 7s 7c March 7s 6½d April and May, 7s 6½d June 7s 5½d July 7s 5½d August,

PARIS March 2—Spot wheat firm at the close Flour a turn dearer

AT LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET

LIVERPOOL, March 18 — Wheat—Quiet holders offer moderately California 7s 8d@7s 8½d per ctl, red western 7s 3d.

Corn—Quiet

MARK LANE REVIEW

LONDON March 18—The *Mark Lane Express* says, English wheat values are lower, Frequently it is impossible to effect sales. Most foreign wheat fell 6d

Flour is weak, although the supply of foreign is moderate

In London, barley has declined a fraction In a majority of the country markets, prices have hardened

The large quantity of corn causes a weakness in some cases, while in others prices are in sellers' favor

Oats have improved 3d@6d

At to day s market English wheat was in moderate request at last Monday s prices. Foreign was weaker Flour was unchanged Round corn was in fair retail request, at the very lowest prices accepted last Monday Flat corn, 3d cheaper on the week Oats advanced 3d in very late dealings Breadstuff and corn were weaker

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Arrivals and Departures Since March 4.

ARRIVED IN

Mar 4—Str Alki Puget sound
5—Str State of California, San Francisco.
Str Michigan, San Francisco
6—Str Alliance Gray s Harbor
6—Str Columbia, San Francisco
10—Schr Louis, San Francisco
11—Schr Vampa San Francisco
12—Schr Marion, San Francisco
14—Str Oregon San Francisco
15—Schr Fanny Adele Coastwise
16—Brsh Jotish Indie, from sby, Sept 27
16—Str Alliance Gray s Harbor
17—Str Columbia, San Francisco

PASSED OUT

Mar 4—Brbk Queen of Cambria
5—Schr Courtney Ford, Alaska
Str Oregon San Francisco
6—Str Willamette Seattle
"—Schr Norma, San Francisco
8—Str Alki, Puget sound
Sch American Boy, San Francisco
9—Str State of California San Francisco
Schr Maid of Orleans, San Francisco
10—Str Alliance, Gray s Harbor
14—Str Danube, Vancouver B C
14—Str Columbia, San Francisco
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17—S r Oregon, San Francisco

IN PORT DISENGAGED

Br bk Samoa 1169 C C & Co Columbia
Ger bk Adele, 631, H s & Co, Victoria.
Br sh Fiery Cross, 1299, C & Co, Albina.
Br sh Scotus, 1610, P F M Co, Nor shore
Br sh Dunscore 1000, P F M Co, Stream
Br bk City of Canton, 909, A S Co Montgomery
Br bk Fascenath, 980 P F M Co, Nor shore
Total tonnage 7861

IN PORT DISENGAGED

Br sh Brs Ish India, 1133, Meyer, W & Co, Astoria

MISCELLANEOUS

Br bk Gartmore 10.5, lumber Greenwich
Br bk City of Carlisle, 6.3, B, G & Co, lumber, Mersey

AT ASTORIA READY FOR SEA

Am bk C S Hubbell, 1036, C C & Co, Finishing
Ger bk Augusta, 1,262, Allen & Lewis, Finished.
Br bk Rathwell, 1,296, P F M Co, Finished
Br sh M S Watson, 1,264, C C & Co, Finishing.
Total tonnage, in port, 16,182

ON THE WAY—DUE FEBRUARY

Dec 22—Br bk Shaltmar, 985, Newcastle A
Br sh Martha Fisher, 811 Newcastle, A
Br sh Ottorspool, 1798, Newcastle, A
Br sh Hornby Castle, 1436, Iquiqu

DUE LATER ON

Nov 5—Br sh Nagpore, 1299, London
Feb 4—Br sh Borrowdale, 1197, Liverpool
Br bk British Army 1289 Liverpool
Br sh Cambrian Queen, 1300, Australia
Am ship Tillie E Starbuck, 1931, New York
Total tonnage on the way, 11,056.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO March 18—Arrived—Str City of Pueblo Victoria, str Arcata Coos bay, str City of Peking, Yokohama via Kiuty, Hong Kong

PORT TOWNSEND, March 18—Arrived—Bk Northwest San Francisco Ital bk Maria Teresa, San Francisco Sailed—Schr F S Redfield, San Francisco

TACOMA March 18—Sailed—Ship Alaska, San Francisco

ASTORIA, March 17—Str Oregon arrived down 8 A M, passed out 1 P M str State of California arrived in 12 N left up 1 P M str Michigan arrived down 2 30 P M Bth—Str Alliance arrived down

PORT CANBY, March 18 —4 P M —Weather rainy, wind south bar rough

FOREIGN PORTS

GALVESTON Feb 28—Sailed—Br sh La Encosera, Port Townsend

PANAMA [illegible], March 11—Passed—Br sh Tintania London for Victoria

SYDNEY—Arrived prior March 13—Br bk Cathona Victoria

HONGKONG—Arrived March 11—Br sh Jason Portland via Queenstown

LONDON—Sailed March 13—Br sh Rapport Portland

THE HOTELS.

ST CHARLES.

M Danforth Oregon		C E Young, Astoria	
C E Huntington, Tucson		G C Waldick & w, San Jose	
Thos Devine Wisconsin		Miss Green	do
L Islem Skamokawa		J Bragon, Dallas	
J Banner,	do	P Bragon	do
H E Nelson, Woodburn		B M Harrison, Seattle	
T R Gouther, Lockwood		E Archer, Merced	
Miss R A Ray	do	G A Waggoner, Corvallis	
C A Cogswell Lakewood		G Conn Paisley	
R B Russell,	do	D M Taylor, Pendleton	
L R Hughes For Grove		F L Campbell, Eugene	
W J Davis	do	C W Osburn Junction	
C A Nioms, Bocamington		W H Buell & fy, Sheridan	
Mrs C C Taylor, Kansas		Mrs Burnham, Salinas, Cal	
T R Campbell & w,	do	Mrs M G Murphy, Reno	
H W Page, Eugene		D L Honston, Roseburg	
B Black, Kansas City		J Lane	do
S Hoover, Oil City		A N Hamilton, Union	
A B Birdsell, Baker City		A W Vance Cas Locks	
J A Faull,	do	F J Taylor Astoria	
J Smith, Or City		E P Thompson, Salem	
I C Archer, Merced		F B Staples,	do
D Gamble Goldendale		Mrs E T Perkins,	do
H S Cypher, Fisher's Ldg		Mrs A Starkey,	do
B M Hanson, Seattle		Mrs Randaliae, Pendleton	
J Pope Joy,	do	Miss Waters,	do
P B Beal, McCoy		G Rader, Long Creek	

EDMOND

J A Devlin, Astoria		A Calisch, N Y	
T A Griffin, Chicago		H C Holmes, S F	
R H Thayer, St Paul		E A Rann & w f S F	
W D Johnston Idaho		Mrs Dahl, Astoria	
W Shoumaker, Chicago		J Minsentine, do	
W C Shull	do	E P McElroy Salem	
Mrs Wm Dah, Astoria		B C Irwin St Louis	
C Chaplin, jr, Minneapolis		L B Webster, Short Line	
Frederick Ward,		Dr McDonald, St Paul	
R P Waldson Aberdeen		J Minsentine, do	
N Bennett, Tacoma		W R Spright, Tennessee	
L Bush, Heppner		L W Crand, W T	
E J Slocum,	do	F Glenn, Dalles	
S Rogers	do	D West, Westport	
J M Mallory	do	C Scott, Huntsville	
R S Bradshaw, Richmond		S W Bradwell, Amity	
J E Taber, S F		Mrs S W Bradwell, do	
E C Dastey & wf, Oswego		W S Dolleb & wf, Chicago	
C H McDonald,	N Y	J Garrett, Galena	
Mrs C H McDonald	do	J Stevens Ellensburgh	
H H Wasner	do	E R Thompson, Conn	
H S Bushau	do	J M Thayer, Moswick	
F Lewis Shedd		T Sime, Slayton	
H M Snyderens, Brooklyn		M S Baer Seattle	
Mrs Snyderens,	do	J F Church Cal	
M J Means Astoria		W B Bowman S F	
W Ryon	do	C M Brooks, Seattle	
R S Mans Erie		J L E Johnson, N Y	
D H Perry & wf, Ogden		D J Powers, Chicago	
J Cless & wf	do	M Berry, St Paul	
J M Smutty St Paul		J E Rontell, do	
J Case & wf,	do	S P Sladder, Eugene	
J H Bunn Cal		R J Wallace, Cal	
B Soloman S F		C H Liver Milwaukee	
G R Mayhem Grand Rpds		S Stevenson Col	
C S Nave Salem		Miss J D Van Buren, I A	
J J Mel S F		Miss Campbell, L Angles	
C R Gruble, St Paul		G H Hamilton N Y	
L Lewis Stan		J Ammster Wisconsin	
J Schrock do		S Sweet do	
Joseph Ferry Ca		L Quedman do	
I norensen, do		J Zurbiker, do	

MERCHANTS.

H G Nason San Diego		Chas [illegible]	San Fran
W W Thompson Tacoma		N I [illegible]	do
J B Mitchel, Mary s		C Barr	do
Miss J Wallace, England		Chas Larson,	do
F W Lowe & w, Los Ang		H Hewison	do
J Berry, Nebraska		E Amsbury,	do
Mrs Kubitz	do	J Mulgrens	do
Miss Knibbs	do	J O Gaylord,	do
A F Pigott, Los Angeles		E Haines,	do
D B Murra	do	H Winter, & w,	do
W C Russell Marysville		Mrs Brandt,	do
F McAfee, Stockton		Miss Brandt,	do
G Welch	do	E A Slocum,	do
R S Milton New York		C Anderson,	do
A C Davis	do	Chas Howard,	do
J P McFeleman, Seattle		F A Beckwith,	do
J Benson, Skelton		D Rolfe,	do
S W Stanton	do	W E Donaldson,	do
W Green, Kansas		M Long,	do
J J Killer,	do	E F Tuttle,	do
H C Lee,	do	F Montgomery	do
E Finney,	do	C Mary,	do
B H Meyers, Nebraska		C Carton,	do
Chas Meyers,	do	S F Hoody,	do
G W Cooper, Kansas		J Cole,	do
G W Ingle & w,	do	C Butcher,	do
J F Berry,	do	W Nukeley,	do
H E Dixon & w,	do	W C Winters,	do
J H Ropes & fm,	do	J J Haggerty,	do
I H Basely & fm,	do	S M Grovey,	do
A C Benedict,	do	P Sanders,	do
L E Davis,	do	T W Brooks, Kelso	
W Green	do	M Evans w & 4ch, Ohio	
J Mallory & mare	do	J P Donaldson & wf, Tex	
J Diamond,	do	E Bube & w, Texas	
W Kennedy, Vancouver		R Booth, Monroe	
G S Boyd & f, Junction		C B Curtis, Tacoma	
W J Benedict, Ohio		A B Smith, Michigan	
J W G Kufe Paseo		J A Ray & f, Missouri	
J W Moore & f, Kansas		J Courtney, do	
J B Black,	do	Mrs Gliders, do	
P Gufor,	do	Miss Gildon, do	
C Gossart, The Dalles		Miss Miller, Walla Walla	
E Pratt, Maine		Miss Hartington, do	
C Winters, Kelso		G L Jackson, do	
F L Wright Connecticut		R McNair, California	
H Miller, Pendleton		J C Martin San Fran	
O E Graves	do	J Kuffer, St Helens	
M C Crooks,	do	C Kuffer, do	
P H Moore & f, Iowa		P S Smith & fm Kansas	
P S Cowper,	do	P S Stuck,	do
Chas Judd	do	Chas J May,	do
F C Martin	do	H T Moseby,	do
P S Davis, Mobile		J Cooper, Virginia	
H F Simmons, do		H T Hooper, do	
G Hollrud do		P S Crooker, Baltimore	
C Lane,	do	H T Hindy,	do
A E Bullis, Maine		P S Sullivan, San Fran	
Geo Cotton do		H F Crandell,	do
J K Abrams do		M Morton,	do
G H Brucker Iowa		P S Timpy,	do
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H F Aitkins,	do	H T Hinckly Boston	
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C U Gove & w, San Jose		W H Darrell, San Fran	
James Mulker, Corvallis		W C Barrett,	do
M L Watts,	do	C D Hoffman,	do
T C Rogers,	do	N E Cadle, Oregon City	
F M Johnson,	do	Thos Dealy, Astoria	
P G Wild,	do	Sidney Smith	do
C C Chase,	do	W A Freeman Tacoma	
E J McClanahan, Eugene		Chas H Bumner, do	
A L Doolittle,	do	W H Reber,	do
Geo Foster,	do	Robt Robley,	do
Lillie Whiteman, Walla W		Jas H Stewart, York, Neb	
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Ed Simmons,	do	Mrs E J Miller, Kendleton	
Harry Parker,	do	J C Cardell,	do
J C Gilbert,	do	J H Freisch,	do
A W Eley, Tacoma		A H Whited & w, Terra Haute	
J T Higgin,	do		
W T Blackmore	do	Mr Gilliow, Beludere	
Miss T Simmons,	do	Mrs Barnett,	do
Mrs S C Stalnes,	do	W W Schenck, Topeka	
Mrs T Huggins,	do	Mel Halverson,	do
E Reardon,	do	C E Honeyham,	do
W W Adams,	do	C A Barrane	do
M Bonnett,	do	Wm P Finnary,	do
L J Jones,	do	W W Hurd,	do
A Hosmer, Scholl s Ferry		C Huer,	do
Wm Caldwell,	do	J H Stuart,	do
W H H Cary, Willamena		J A Crown, San Fran	
Frank Gunter, Junction C		H W Price & f Ashland	
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J E Thompson, Warm Sp		Henry Schleifr, Abilen	
Albert Godden, Cascades		F A Brenels,	do
W F Anderson Eugene		G F Westrup,	do
Fred Nawtone,	do	W H Preble, Boston	
J W Farquhar, Forest Grv		Fred Wyman,	do
Jas Appherson	do	Cornelius Shea,	do
Jas Sinton, Pueblo, Colo		C O Berry, Derry	
Alex Imrll,	do	A Bledsou,	do
E V Ruddan, Ormic, Kan		G Bledsou,	do
W T Barnett,	do	G F Sight,	do
Miss Johnson, Corvallis		D B Chapin, Saginaw	
D W Sefton Tacoma		J A Staley, Rainier	
W W Thompson, do		W H Preble, Massachusts	
F C Large, city		Johnson Dean,	do
W Woodward,	do	H J Haynes, Chehalis	
T H Agnitte,	do	T C Parrish, Omaha	
J C Gess,	do	W B Wilson, Aberdeen	
T J Kerr,	do	Jas A Casabeer, Baker Cy	
H Finch, Charleston		Henry Schisler, Kansas	
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Miss L Marshall,	do	M H Robinson, Belton	
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Mrs Bisbee,	do	Mrs W Rather,	do
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A U Davis,	do	J W Oldfield, San Jose	
A P Davidson, Arbuckle		H Oldfield,	do
Fred Mohr,	do	J H Lange	do
J F Ramsey, Reno		H F Barton, Dayton, W T	
J W Huff, Eugene City		Wilfred Johnson,	do
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M McCauley, Idaho		G Schwessinger,	do
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FREDERICK WARDE

Superb Rendition of "Belphegor, the Mountebank," by the Distinguished Tragedian

By reason of the disastrous washouts, slides and other incidents to railroading in the far North west it was 8 30 o clock last evening before Fred erick Warde and his company reached the city, but by 9 o clock the curtain was up on the first act of the play Mr Warde having previously in a few well chosen words explained to the audience the cause of the delay in commencing the performance.

Though the house was filled with a large audience, many of whom had sat for two hours waiting the actor was given a generous round of applause as he bowed himself off after making his announcement, and it was clear that the audience was fortunate to be pleased.

The play was an entirely new one to Portland "The Mountebank," one of D'Ennery's and a strong dramatic work. The plot in brief the love of a poor father for his wife and children his efforts to weather them up on learning of his wife's good fortune to find herself the child of wealthy parents, the wife's noble loyalty to her husband and children her forcible separation from him the husband's struggles to regain his wife and his final success are all told in a chain of dramatic incidents so graphically portrayed as to hold the interest to the last.

The centre role of Belphegor the Mountebank was delineated by Mr Warde as certain to our as one could have it. It furnishes him with opportunities for a great variety of work that may favor role in a perfect manner and it is another triumph to his already large list of successes. He held the audience from the rise to the final fall of the curtain by the marvelous power of his art. Whether was in the rollicking, jesting moments of the Mountebank or in the stronger scenes where the fire of the man's nature were aroused to their very center they followed him with breathless interest.

Dawson's old drama is more powerful and resistant of interest than for Mr Warde's support. The latter did himself proud in the character of the Mountebank and his support was generally creditable, some of the minor characters that bit were below par. His was a somewhat broken support. The Fiorello of Miss Campbell was delightfully rendered, the part affording many opportunities for the display of her charming personality, which were improved to the full. Miss Adele Belgard as Madeline the wife nobly seconded the work of Mr Ward and by her strong acting in the great emotional scenes received hearty applause.

Miss M Ferrer as Madeline's child Nanon and Miss Stella Boniface as Pierre and the two little Misses Magill as the children were all good while the minor parts were adequately sustained throughout.

The lateness of the hour precludes a more detailed notice of the merits of the performance, suffice it to say that though midnight had passed before the play ended no one left the house.

The Mountebank for the first time tonight

AN HEIR TO MILLIONS

A Pendleton Man Who Has Title to Part of the Site of the City of Louisville

A claimant of a portion of the site of Louisville Ky has bobbed up at Pendleton. His name is S Kidd, and he is a son of Thomas Kidd of Missouri City Mo who is the father of ten children.

The story goes that years and years ago Edward and Mary Kidd the grandfather and grandmother of the Pendleton man each located about 80 acres of the city. Mr Kidd was then a flourishing prairie dog town the heart of Louisville and covered with tin clay edifices.

After the death of the original owners the family gradually quitclaimed the land in small parcels to various purchasers and on this action the claims of the present owners are based. The new proprietors would probably have remained in undisputed possession had not the son of the lawyer above mentioned stumbled upon the original patent from the government to Edward and Mary Kidd a few days ago and sent notice of the fact to their son Thomas Kidd an already quite wealthy old gentleman who lives in Missouri City Mo and who the father of ten straggling girls and boys one of whom is S S Kidd of Pendleton. He at once consulted an attorney celebrated for his legal lore who after investigating the matter informed his client that it would be a very easy thing to establish his title to the property which is now valued at nearly $97 00 000. Other lawyers consulted corroborated this opinion.

Mr Kidd of Pendleton is confident that he is not dreaming of impossibilities. The only thing that troubles him is what disposition to make of the matter. He has been offered hard cash for what during my own recollection he still and I have no more idea what to do with $100 000 than a cow.

INQUEST ON THE BODY OF AH WY

He Committed Suicide by Hanging Himself During a Fit of Despondency

At 1 30 yesterday afternoon an inquest was held on the body of Ah Wy the Chinaman who committed suicide by hanging himself to the top of a door in his room at No 18 Second street.

Several Chinamen testified to the circumstances of finding the body. It appears that the body was found to be clothing yesterday. The watch was merely passed around his neck and fastened to the ladder about three feet from the floor and death must have been produced by slow strangulation. One Chinaman stated that suicide in his country was sometimes committed in that manner.

Frank Wan Woon who was acquainted with Ah Wy stated that the deceased was about 30 years of age. He has a brother living in San Francisco. This witness further stated that deceased had been sick for a long time and was using opium to excess. His friends tried to get him to go to San Francisco for medical attendance but he refused to go.

The coroner's jury retired and rendered a verdict that Ah Wy came to his death by hanging himself during a fit of despondency caused by long sickness. The remains were interred by friends later in the day.

STREAM, WHARF AND WAVE

The Steamship Columbia—Alliance at Astoria—The State's Arrival—A Big Sailor

The steamer Columbia which proceeded direct to the quarantine grounds on entering San Francisco bay last saturday evening, will sail for Portland on her regular schedule time her passengers having been transferred to a quarantine hulk. Among the Columbia's passengers are several prominent Portlanders for whose safety considerable anxiety is felt. Following is a list of the steamer's all first class passengers:

Rev and Mrs. Alfred Cummings Dr and Mrs. George H Chance, Mrs. John P Fidler, Mrs W. K Smith, Miss Lillie May, Mrs M A Smith J C Blasbourn, C J Littlefield, Harry Haight, Mr and Mrs E R Lang, Mrs Von Lowenfeld, Mr J Croom, Mr and Mrs M Lovejoy, Mr and Mrs Clark Irvine, Miss Huggins, Mr and Mrs A W Weigat, Frank Chiles H Sullivan, Ernest Christiansen E D Hill, John Murray, M G Wyatt, John Meehan, Mrs Meinhardt, Robert McGann, Miss Gustavinson, George Steel, W Marina, M D Young, George Aare, W B Christopher, besides about forty in the steerage.

The British ship Otterspool is outside of the Columbia bar waiting a pilot on board. This vessel is the largest of the fleet of three vessels of 2 700 tons burden now en route from Newcastle, Eng with coal and will take back to the United Kingdom a cargo of wheat. She left Newcastle December 3rd and therefore was out about seventy-eight days on the ocean.

The American ship C S Bement crossed down on Saturday and is now beating down the coast on her way for Liverpool with the biggest cargo of wheat that the Columbia has ever carried. It consisted of over 100 000 sacks of golden grain which rose from the lofty interior of the ship's hold to the deck in the form of a mountain. The Bement was towed to sea by the steamer Wallula.

The steamer Mineola left last evening for Astoria and Skamokawa and will take 400 000 feet of lumber and other supplies to each point. She will return to San Francisco and will be shipped to Alaska. The Mineola seems to be finding employment on the San Francisco route and is carrying full loads both ways.

The steamer State of California arrived down the dock Sunday evening at 7 o'clock in tow of the steamer Fearless bringing her cargo which consists of about 1 200 tons of general merchandise. She experienced some very rough weather in leaving the coast of California.

The Oregon sailed at noon Sunday from Astoria with a fair passenger list and a full cargo of freight, most of the freight which she took on at the latter place was 1 0 sacks of oysters 100 tons of shooks and 4000 net floats.

The steamer Alliance arrived at Astoria from this city yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. She is now will be hauled out and a new bottom put on.

LOCAL NOTES

Archbishop Gross will confirm his class of converts on matrimonial at St Francis church East Portland, to-night.

The Women's North Pacific Board of Managers will hold its regular meeting at 2 30 P M to-day in the First Presbyterian church.

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SONGS OF SUMMER NEVER DIE

A Beautifully Written Description of the Many Feathered Musicians of Old England

As a number of the choicest varieties of song birds are to arrive here in a few weeks and as the great majority of the citizens of Portland have never heard their songs the following beautifully written article in regard to the song birds of England among which are many of the species coming here will be read with interest:

In round numbers the chief song birds of England amount to about twenty five—among which the nightingale reigns chief and supreme. It is almost impossible to frame any accurate table of the comparative beauty and merit of these varied and happy songsters, but the attempt has been made by an earnest student of nature, who devoted many years to this one express subject, and some of his notes are of curious interest. Taking "20" to express the point of perfection as the head of the whole list stands the sweet bird of night, for mellowness of tone compass and execution, and an inborn plaintiveness of melody which is almost wholly its own. Pre-eminent, too among the beauties of the strain for such an flute variety as many as six or seven different beginnings and closes having been noted in the song of a single bird.

Beginning like many a famous master of eloquence in a soul of infinite and tender softness, he gradually lets the sweet flute deepen and full expression reserving all his strength as if for some sudden touches of passion and delight and then dying away into a fine and delicate thread of such exquisite and tender weakness as to pierce the very heart. In the calm stillness of a summer evening this diatonic note may be heard through half a mile of silent listening woodland.

Next to the nightingale among the three happy singers the skylark would stand alone, each having a special excellence of his own the two latter singing both while on the wing and when at rest their song being full of sweetness, variety and swift changes and the first surpassing even the nightingale in the rapid bursts of sprightly joy with which he rises up towards the blue ether.

"And ever rising wins his liquid way."

Then follow the whole throng of finches headed by the linnet who stands fifth on the carol list and carries off (in those days of competition examination) seventy four marks out of a possible 100 for compass execution sprightliness plaintiveness and mellow tone. Earl Mercy was the first to mention the bullfinch and the whitethroat the redstart the hedge sparrow and the wood lark as the best known and more popular songsters. The bullfinch the thrush and the whitethroat the redstart the hedge sparrow and the wood lark as the best known and more popular songsters. The bullfinch the thrush and the whitethroat the redstart the hedge sparrow and the wood lark as the best known and more popular songsters.

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